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SPRECKELS WAR RENEWED; DEAL OFF

HEIRS WILL FIGHT HAWAII THE SCENE

John D. and Adolph Order Local Attorneys to Carry on Battle Here

Really involving more than \$500,000, which had apparently been closed for the disposal of all the Spreckels holdings in Honolulu through the Waterhouse Trust Co., it appears will be tied up in litigation for a time at least through the fight still being waged by the four Spreckels brothers for a portion of their father's estate, part of which is located here.

The local law firm of Kinney, Prosser, Anderson & Marx this morning received a significant cable from Morrison, Dunne & Brobeck of San Francisco, attorneys representing John D. and Adolph Spreckels in their fight against Rudolph and Gus Spreckels. The cable reads:

"Take all action necessary to assert the rights of John and Adolph Spreckels under the laws of Hawaii." According to Attorney Prosser this means that closing up of the various deals under the option acquired by Robert Shingle, will be halted for a time at least, possibly by an injunction, although Mr. Prosser said he did not know what action would be taken.

Homestead Excluded.
The property involved includes all of that covered by the Shingle option, save the Spreckels homestead and lots which were recently sold to Harry F. Lewis for a sum in the neighborhood of \$100,000. The other tracts named under the \$500,000 option and the sale of which will be completed, include the land at Merchant and Bishop streets and all other holdings of like character.

Back of the move made here is believed to be a plan whereby through the Spreckels holdings in the Territory of Hawaii, the entire fight for the millions involved can be transferred to the U. S. Supreme Court.

John D. and Adolph Spreckels were recently beaten in the long drawn out litigation on the mainland when the Supreme Court of California ruled in favor of Rudolph and Gus in almost every particular and ordered the property distributed in accordance with the contentions of the victors.

To Continue Battle.
Although the defeated Spreckels were apparently out of the running, it was not believed that they would give

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Hawaii Is Put On Temporary Roll Of Bull Moose Party

Hawaii Progressives have won another round of their fight to get representation in the convention at Chicago Monday. This morning George R. Carter, chairman of the Progressive Provisional committee, received the following cablegram from A. L. C. Atkinson, who was sent to Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 3.—Hawaii, Alaska and the District of Columbia have been put on the temporary roll-call of the convention, but their power to vote has been referred to the convention rules committee.

ATKINSON.
The convention rules committee of course will not be formed until after the convention is temporarily organized.

JULY PAY FOR ENLISTED MEN

The enlisted men of the army will be given the preference over the officers in the payment of funds now on hand. This was announced at department headquarters this morning, the plan meeting with the approval of General Macomb.

Captain Cooke, the army paymaster, has instructed the various organizations to prepare their pay rolls for both June and July. He will pay the soldiers for July, and note on the rolls, "not paid for June," so that there will be no question of the men getting their back pay when more funds are available. This cable message received by Captain Cooke yesterday indicated that more money would be placed to his credit before long, and the extension of time until August 15, of the temporary appropriation for July, admits of his paying off men who are to be discharged between July 31 and August 15.

MOTHER HELD ON CHARGE OF CHILD-MURDER

Parents of Slain Chinese Baby Formally Accused of Crime

BELIEVED WOMAN COMMITTED DEED

Husband Trying to Shield His Wife, Theory of Prosecution

Chun Wong Chee, the wife of Chun Kim Sut, was arrested and formally charged with the murder of her infant daughter, Kwai Sin, this morning, while Chun Kim Sut was arrested for the same offense on a second degree murder charge.

Both warrants were sworn out by Deputy Sheriff Rose at 10 o'clock this morning as the result of evidence obtained and testimony given at the coroner's inquest which has been in session for the past two nights. An hour later the mother was in custody. The father was arrested on suspicion three days ago, after the child had died under mysterious circumstances at the Kaukaloani Children's Hospital.

After the coroner's jury had been in session Thursday and Friday nights a verdict was brought in, although the perpetrator of the crime was not designated in the jury report. This was followed this morning by warrants charging murder.

According to Attorney Charles F. Chillingworth, who is conducting the defense, the prosecution has no evidence against the father, who is a well-known among Honolulu business men as a contractor, and is reputed to be worth \$40,000.

The prosecution, which is being handled by Deputy Attorney Fred W. Milverton, claims that the evidence against the pair is of a damaging nature.

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SAYS KAKAOKO IS WITH BUSINESS TICKET

"You can depend upon it that our precinct is with the business men's ticket," said one of the Hawaiian-American precinct officers of Kakaoko this morning, referring to the story in the morning paper of Supervisor Kruger having formed a combination with Charlie Costa to carry the Kakaoko precinct for himself.

"Kruger's influence will extend only to about twenty men who are employed in the garbage department of the city. I think that Charlie Costa will find himself playing for a fall, and although he may be playing in with both sides, we boys understand that the business men are not with Murray and Kruger this year. Don't worry. Kruger can not carry our precinct. It will stay with the business men and the regular Republican forces. We have no sympathy with the scheme of Kuhio running as a third party man. Of course, if it should come to a fight each man may follow his own opinions in the final election, but you can bank on it that in the conventions and primary contests our precinct will be with the business men. Our precinct will stay with Charlie Bartlett as against Kruger and Murray."

"Brownie" Large For His Age, Knows His Master's Voice

Boy with Rope and Collar Calls on Sheriff and Departs with His Pet

"WANTED—For Forgery. Arrest Edward McConnell—" a shadow fell across the page and Sheriff Jarrett looked up just as a diminutive boy, carrying a rope and a dog-collar, entered the office.

"My name is David Hoke," announced the figure, "I am nine years old and I'd like to get Brownie back, if you please. He's my dog and I've had him since he was a puppy and the policeman took him."

"How old is Brownie?" asked the

REPORT KUHIO WON'T RUN AS INDEPENDENT

Delegate Arrives from Hawaii, Ending Several Vague Rumors

FIGHT ON FREAR MAY BE ELIMINATED NOW

Said Cupid Willing to Keep the Controversy Out of Fall Campaign

Political circles were stirred this morning by a report, which comes to the Star-Bulletin from an unimpeachable source, that Delegate Kuhio will not run on an independent ticket if the Republican party fails to back him in a fight against Governor Frear, and further, that the delegate is willing to eliminate the controversy from the territorial campaign and the territorial platform.

The delegate reached Honolulu this morning by the Mauna Kea, coming from Hawaii, where he went to attend the Smart-Parker wedding last week. He went to his home at Waikiki shortly after arrival, and the Star-Bulletin was unable to reach him up to this afternoon for confirmation or denial of the report.

It is said that the delegate was misrepresented in an interview purporting to come from him the morning he left for Hawaii. He is quoted now as saying that he will stay in the Republican party and will not insist on carrying his fight on the Governor into the fall campaign.

This report was heard today by the business men's committee, which is canvassing the political situation. The committee held a long session this morning, but its work is not concluded, and another session will be held next Tuesday.

While none of the committee will forecast what influence the delegate's attitude, if it is now correctly interpreted, will have on its report, several seem to think such an attitude would clear up the situation. The possibility of an endorsement of Kuhio was mentioned by a Star-Bulletin representative to members of the committee, but without eliciting any definite statement as to whether an endorsement is or is not probable.

The committee is considering scores of men for office. It was stated without reservation today that the committee is not "framing a ticket" and that it wishes to report upon as many good men as possible in order to give the voters plenty of choice between worthy candidates.

One of the vague reports concerning Cupid's activities was disproved this morning with the arrival of the Mauna Kea. Stories have been about that Kuhio would make a month's campaign now on Hawaii and Maui and that on Hawaii he has been making many speeches. This is disproved, and it is stated that he did not attend the Kailua meeting a week ago at which he was reported to be a guest.

LIQUOR MEN WANT PRESENT LAWS LET ALONE; NOT IN FIGHT

Say Won't Spend Money This Fall Unless an Anti-Liquor Movement Starts

The liquor interests of Hawaii do not expect to take any part in the coming territorial campaign unless there is a movement on foot to change the present laws.

In other words, the liquor men want the laws left alone, and if they have assurances that the next legislature will make no attempt to amend the statutes relating to liquor, the saloon men, as such, will not be active in the campaign.

The above is the statement of the liquor interests' attitude made to the Star-Bulletin by one of the men who is on the inside of things "insiders" in the liquor business of the territory and one who is active in politics as well. He declares that the importers, wholesalers and retailers, while they may be individually busy in politics as citizens, will not spend money in the campaign unless they see an effort to start legislation hostile to their interests.

"If any money is spent, the liquor men will not start it," was the statement of this man. "We are satisfied with the present laws, and see the wisdom of working on the present basis and not stirring up the liquor question."

Queen Presents Altar Vases To Chapel At Post

Memories of Hawaii's past, before the coming of the soldier, have been linked firmly with the present by a gracious act of Her Majesty Queen Liliuokalani, who has presented to the post chapel at Schofield Barracks a pair of massive brass altar vases. This morning the former queen signified her desire to make the gift, and signed her own name to the copy of the inscription that is to be engraved on the vases.

This morning Major Proden, chaplain of the Second Infantry, whose zealous work resulted in the building of the chapel less than a year ago, called on the queen and talked over the proposed gift. The vases were ordered some time ago, and are now here and ready for the engraver. Her Majesty expressed herself as greatly interested in the religious work that is being carried on at the big army post, and expressed her intention of attending the dedication ceremonies, when the vases are placed on the altar for the first time. This will be about two months hence.

Following is the inscription that will appear on each vessel:

Presented to the
Post Chapel, Schofield Barracks,
Leliuoka, H. T.

By
Her Majesty Liliuokalani of Hawaii,
1912.

TERRITORY SOLD PART OF HILO'S SEWER SYSTEM

Owing to the fact that the Territorial government has, presumably through inadvertence, sold a portion of the Hilo sewer system, the county and the health officials' and themselves up against a very unique situation just at present, says the Hilo Tribune. Furthermore, a much perplexed Japanese merchant finds himself in possession of a section of sewer which he does not in the least want, and which he is trying to get rid of.

A year or two ago, the Territory sold to Hata, the well-known Japanese merchant, the lot opposite the Moheau Park, at the north end of the block. A narrow section of this lot was part of a rough thoroughfare, picturesquely named Nippon alley, under the soil of which ran a section of the Smithville sewer system, which is about the most overworked sewer in Hilo.

Slight was apparently lost of the fact that the sewer was under the alley, which went into Hata's possession with the rest of the lot. But the sewer was left in place until the other day, when Hata had deep excavations made in order to make room for the cellar for the big concrete building which he intends erecting on the lot. Then the excavators ran into the sewer. It runs right where the cellar is to be. Hata doesn't want a sewer in his cellar, so he told various officials to take it away. If they did not take it away, it seems, he may have a right to do so, as it is, presumably, his sewer, it having passed into his possession with the rest of the lot.

CALLS FOR TEDDY 3RD PARTY MEETS

Roosevelt Demonstration Forecasts Result Of Convention Next Monday—Johnson Reviews Issues

[Associated Press Cable]

CHICAGO, Ill., August 3.—Gov. Johnson of California today addressed the Progressive convention of the State of Illinois, in session here, and reviewed the issues and dwelt upon the "stale" of the Taft forces at the Chicago convention.

A display of a Roosevelt banner started a demonstration.

AMERICANS FIRED ON

[Special Cable to Star-Bulletin]

EL PASO, Tex., August 3.—The most sensational outbreak of the Mexican revolution occurred today when rebels and Americans exchanged less than fifty shots. The rebels have become more and more threatening lately and armed Americans have been patrolling the river to prevent a surprise by the Mexicans. Three houses were struck by bullets during the day, but no one is reported hurt. Capt. Berry, U. S. A., is investigating the occurrences. The Americans were fired on, it is said.

Press Associations Fight

[Associated Press Cable]

CHICAGO, Ill., August 2.—The government today filed papers in the Federal Court here on an agreed statement of facts relating to the case under the Sherman anti-trust law. The case started in a fight between the American Press Association against the Western Newspaper Union. The contention is that the combination of the Western Newspaper Union would influence the thought of sixty million rural readers who take papers served by the union with "Boiler plate" or "patron" leaders.

Would Drop Hanford Case

[Associated Press Cable]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.—The House committee which investigated the charges of incompetency and corruption brought against Federal Judge Cornelius H. Hanford of the western district of Washington today recommended that impeachment proceedings be dropped. In the midst of the investigation, Judge Hanford resigned, giving ill health as his reason, and President Taft will accept the aged jurist's resignation.

Wool Bill Agreed Upon

[Associated Press Cable]

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 3.—By a vote of 160 to 52, the House today voted to accept a conference report on the wool tariff revision bill, and the bill now goes to the President for signature.

SAY PRESIDENT WILL VETO TARIFF BILLS

[Special Cable to Star-Bulletin]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 3.—Supporters of President Taft in the Senate say he will veto all the tariff bills that come to him this session.

SAM LANGFORD OUTPOINTS OLD RIVAL IN FIGHT

[Special Cable to Star-Bulletin]

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 3.—Sam Langford, the American negro fighter, heavyweight, today outpointed Sam McVey in a hard 20-round battle in the local stadium.

Funds For Duke Kahanamoku Jump Over \$600 Mark

Mrs. William G. Irwin Gives \$100—Committee Looking for a Lot

One hundred dollars more was added to the Duke Kahanamoku fund last night by individual contribution when Mrs. William G. Irwin gave this amount to A. A. Wilder of the fund committee.

This is the second hundred-dollar gift from an individual, Mark Robinson having pledged one hundred dollars to W. T. Rawlins, chairman of the committee.

Employees of the Honolulu postoffice have turned in to the Star-Bulletin \$30, together with the following letter, showing that the postoffice men are enlisted in the clean-sport cause:

Honolulu Postoffice, Hawaii,
August 2nd, 1912.

Editor Honolulu Star-Bulletin, Sir:

Being staunch supporters of clean sport, we the employees of the Honolulu Postoffice, Hawaii, hand you herewith the amount of \$30.00, for Duke Kahanamoku Fund.

Very respectfully,
EMPLOYEES, HONOLULU POSTOFFICE.

F. W. Macfarlane today donated \$10 to the cause.
Arthur Waal, postmaster at Lahaina, sends in \$7.50, with the following letter:

Lahaina, Maui, July 30th, 1912.
Honolulu Star-Bulletin Publishing Co., Honolulu, Hawaii.

Gentlemen:—Attached please find money order for \$7.50 for the Duke Kahanamoku Fund collected by me. The list of the donors is as follows:

Mr. J. M. Vivas, Walluku, Maui, \$2.50
Mr. W. S. Chillingworth, Walluku, Maui, \$2.50
Miss Ruth and Sadie Whitehead, Walluku, Maui, \$2.50
Miss Augusta Waal, \$2.50

Kindly acknowledge receipt of same. Yours very respectfully,

A. WAAL,
Postmaster.

The cash collected by the Star-Bulletin now stands:
Previously acknowledged, \$144.75
F. W. Macfarlane, \$10.00
Employees Honolulu P. O., \$30.00
Lahaina donations, \$7.50

Total, \$272.25

Together with the \$100 by Mrs. Irwin and the \$100 by Mark Robinson, there is now in the hands of the Star-Bulletin and pledged \$472.25.

Besides this, the Advertiser has a considerable sum. The money is beginning to come in fast now. The committee is looking for a suitable lot on the beach, and within a few days will announce definitely what it has in mind, just what the size of the lot is to be, and the arrangements for giving it to Duke when the champion swimmer arrives from Honolulu.

Disappearing Searchlight To Blaze at Diamond Head

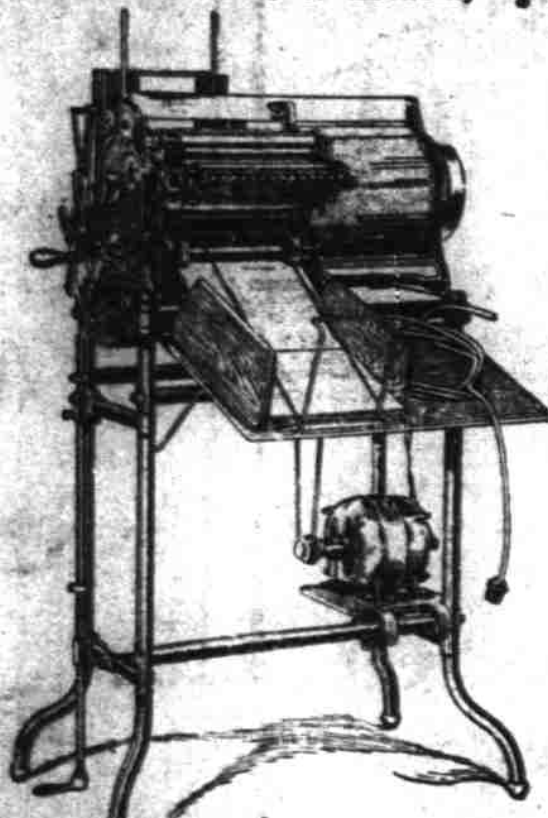
First of Kind To Be Installed by U. S. and Work Is Under Way

A disappearing searchlight, something that is brand new in the United States Army, where high power lights have been developed to their seeming capacity in connection with coast defense, is being installed at Fort Ruger. While foreign armies have experimented with these disappearing lights, this is the first time that our government has taken them up as a serious proposition, and again Oahu comes to the front as the proving ground for the whole army.

It has been found that a searchlight, installed in the ordinary manner, is an easy gunnery mark in daylight, and a very difficult mark at night, when its blinding rays are traversing the horizon. This led to the construction of a light that could be effectively concealed when not in use, and it is believed that the new light at Diamond Head fulfills this requirement.

Men are now engaged excavating a large pit on the hillside back of the Diamond Head lighthouse keepers' cottage, and in this the necessary machinery will be sunk. By an ingenious contrivance the light itself is reared from its concealment when needed, and can at once be replaced when in danger of being hit, or when there is no further need for its aid in locating hostile vessels.

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